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Illinois Town Loses $50,000 by Fire.

Mount Sterling, Ills., Jan. 29.—The best business block in the city is a mass of ruins. Fire originated in the rear of Lewinson's grocery store. The block was composed of the Bloomfield hotel, a three-story structure, and six other business houses recently completed. The loss is $50,000. Clay Piper and John Nichols were so severely hurt by a falling wall that Nichols will die.

National Firemen's Association.

Chicago, Jan. 29.—The meeting of the National Firemen's association was concluded yesterday with the election of the following officers: President, F. A. Wood, Cedar Rapids, Ia.; secretary, E. W. Barkman, Decatur, Ills. One vice president was chosen from each state represented.

USE FOR POPCORN.

A Natural and Healthful Proceeding.

Those who prefer good food and natural living as a means of health, rather than the drug habit, will be interested to know that many obstinate cases of constipation are greatly helped by eating a good quantity (say a double handful) of popped corn.

It should be thoroughly masticated and eaten perhaps in place of the evening meal.

The effect is likely to be felt in the morning and generally produces results satisfactory to the user.

Then the far back cause of the trouble should be sought out and remedied.

Very often indeed the cause comes from a weakened condition of the delicate nerves and muscles of the intestines and they are simply powerless to do their work.

Coffee is, in the majority of cases, the active cause of this weakened condition as will be plainly shown by a return to health and strength in these parts when coffee is left off for a month and Postum Cereal Food Coffee used. The latter furnishes the food elements needed to quickly rebuild the delicate gray substance in the minute nerve centers all over the human body, and a bounding vigorous health is the result.

LIFE SAVER SAVED.

Tug Andy Rescued Captain Stevens Of the Life Saving Station This Afternoon.

THE CAPTAIN WAS VERY COOL.

Out on the Lake on a Cake of Ice He Patiently Waited to Be Rescued.

Wednesday night Capt. Stevens, the commander of the brave life saving company, by his coolness and bravery rescued forty persons imprisoned in a fierce gale out on the shattered City of Duluth.

Saturday afternoon Capt. Stevens, by the exhibition of the same courage, rescued himself and Chester Thayer of this city.

The position was a dangerous one and nothing but the calmness of the captain averted a bad accident. He lifted the boy over on a cake of ice, then climbed out himself and pulled the life boat on the same cake. The captain and his companion climbed into the boat and they sat there on the cake of ice waiting for someone to rescue them. The captain was not at all frightened but he took out his pipe and began smoking.

Chester is a boy and he went over to St. Joseph to take a snap shot at the wreck. His kodak fell overboard and he persuaded the kindly Capt. Stevens to assist him in its recovery. The captain and boy started out in a life boat and before the floating kodak was reached the skiff was surrounded by ice. The ice kept pushing closer and closer together about the little craft and there was danger of its being crushed as the waves pounded against the cakes of ice.

W. O. Slight of Baroda, one of the passengers the captain had rescued from the Duluth on Wednesday night had a chance to be of service to his benefactor. Mr. Slight was standing on the pier and he hurried to give the alarm and the tug Andy was sent out and picked up the captain.

The above is the interpretation of the affair given by Mr. Slight. Capt. Stevens, however, rowed ashore himself and says that at no time was he in the least danger.

GRAND JURY.

It Will Be Here in Its Glory Monday.

The grand jury will be in session at St. Joseph Monday. It is not known whether they will be set at work at once or be sworn in and sent home for a week to investigate matters in their several localities.

DULUTH SAFE.

Ice Forming Breakwater About the Boat.

The cakes of ice are piling up about the City of Duluth and protecting it from the waves. The ship has righted herself and is evidently raised out of water beyond what it was yesterday.

The sea is going down and the work on the cargo will probably be commenced before tomorrow morning. The corn is likely to be pumped into the lake as the cost of drying the same will amount to more than the value of the corn.

Knowing outsiders have chartered the Jay Gould for the Graham & Morton company but the officials of the company have no knowledge of the affair. Other people are very busy attending to the affairs of the Graham & Morton company.

BADGES OF HONOR.

The Government Will Issue to Those Who Helped in the Rescue.

By an oversight the name Louis H. Foeltzer, of this city was omitted from the list of those who so bravely assisted in rescuing the crew and passengers of the wrecked steamer City of Duluth and his name has been sent with the others to the authorities at Washington who will present him with a medal of honor for his meritorious services on that occasion.

QUITE A COMPLIMENT.

Attorney James O'Hara Figures in 39 Court Cases.

At the coming term of the circuit court, which begins next Monday, the calendar contains 130 cases. In 39 of these 130 cases James O'Hara of St. Joseph figures on one or the other side.

This is an unusual showing, when it is considered that there are over fifty attorneys in the county.

Copeland Monday Night.

Col. Copeland on Snobs and Snobbery.

The Hogue slaughter sale will be continued next week. The prices on everything have been reduced.

Buy your tobacco of Wallace Bros. and get a $15 pipe.

THE WEATHER.

Fair and cooler tonight and fair and warmer Sunday.

AND NO MISTAKE.

MRS. LUETGERT AT THE FREAK SHOW LAST NIGHT.

Many of Her Old Friends Recognize Her—A Good Program Was Rendered.

Mrs. Luetgert was the attraction at the freak show given by the Universalist ladies at Conkey's hall last evening. She came to the hall in a large bandbox and was carefully unwrapped and a small string of sausage was exhibited to view. The missing woman was plainly recognized.

The Misses Hansen appeared as the two headed girl and sang to the delight of the audience—that is as soon as they could stop laughing at their ridiculous appearance, and the roars of the audience only tended to prolong the merriment. Rob Schaffer a favorite young singer, and a quartette consisting of F. A. Hobbs, Prof. Kneeland, Mrs. Gatchell and Mrs. Eldred furnished the remainder of the program.

Little Clifford Stone was Tom Thumb, Helen Platt Tom's wife, and Fernley Platt, much larger than either, stood upon a box eating stick candy and posing as the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thumb. Frankie Soule acted the hand monkey act to perfection.

Mr. Hobbs was circus ringmaster and he introduced the freak collection in true circus style. He was assisted in this work by C K. Farmer.

Mrs. F. B. Cary played the accompaniments for the vocal numbers. Dancing followed the program.

A TECHNICALITY.

Question Is Raised in Regard to Alderman Cole.

A fine technical point is being raised as to whether Dr. J. C. Cole can legally hold his seat in the council as alderman from the first ward.

Dr. Cole has a residence in the first ward but during the absence of his his wife's people he and Mrs. Cole have been residing at the wife's old home in the second ward.

Some people figure out that some of the acts of the council might be annulled on technical grounds on account of Dr. Cole's vote.

A HAPPY END.

Galien Divorce Case Ends in a Happy Settlement.

Galien, Jan. 29.—Galien people are happy over the announcement that the divorce case of Mrs. E. Harris against her husband has been dismissed. A few weeks ago Mrs. Harris sued for $10,000 and a divorce.

The trouble arose over financial disputes and the settlement is a happy termination of long-standing domestic infelicity. Mr. and Mrs. Harris will not separate but live together and in peace and happiness.

NEW FIRM.

Kidd, Dater & Price & Co. Have Filed Articles of Association.

Kidd, Dater & Price & Co., successors to Kidd, Dater & Co., filed articles of association with County Clerk Needham yesterday afternoon and from now on this firm will be better prepared than ever to sell groceries to the retail trade of this portion of the country.

The firm of Kidd, Dater & Co. have carried on a successful business here for several years and have built up a reputation of selling good goods at as low prices as any other wholesale firm and their integrity and honesty in their dealings have won them many friends.

The new firm is composed of Andrew J. Kidd, George R. Dater, John R. Price, William D. Downey and Herbert L. Parrish and the capital stock is $50,000 divided into 5,000 shares at $10 per share. The term of existence is 30 years.

With a change in the firm a change will be made in the store. Mr. Downey, one of the new members, has had years of experience in the grocery business both on the road and in the house and will have charge of the tea, coffee and spice department which will be a guarantee that it will be of the best. Every branch of the store will be under the supervision of one of the members of the firm.

HARRY POUND IN ARKANSAS.

Teaching the Woolly South Military Drill.

A letter has been received from Harry Pound, first lieutenant of the Alger Guard, by one of the members, dated at Fayetteville, Ark., stating that the town is situated in the Boston range of the Ozark mountains and is beautifully located. The scenery is grand and the climate all that could be wished for.

He has visited the state university where there are six companies of infantry under command of an United States army officer and he says they are "not in it" with the Alger Guard when they drill. He has been invited to assist them when they take up battalion drill at an early date and he will be equal to the occasion.

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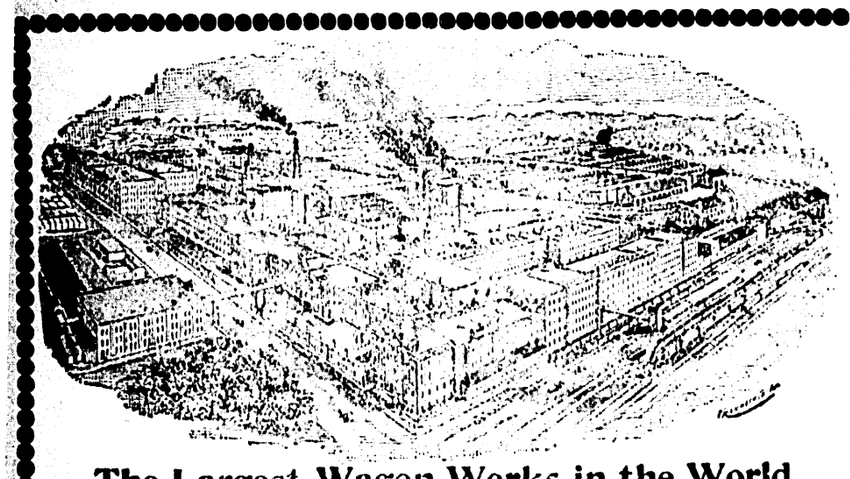

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1 lb package corn starch	05	One half pound cocoanut	10
Large bottle blueing	03	½ pound Bakers choclate	17
1 pkg white chip soap	05	1 package sweet chocolate	07
1 sack salt	03	Oat meal per package	08
12 bars soap	25	8 pounds of best oat meal	25
Salt pork per pound	05	1 gal oil can with wood jacket	10
6 bars Ivory soap	25	1 lb Sal Soda	02
1 lb crackers	05	1 lb Rice	05
1 lb good coffee	10	1 pkg Arm & Hammer Saleratus	05
4 lb of 50c tea for	33	All kinds of pure spices, Cinnamon, Allspice, Cloves, Pepper, Mustard in pound lots	25
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LABORS OF THE MINE CONFERENCE

Brought to a Complete and Successful Conclusion by the Signing of a Treaty in Which 200,000 Workers Are Interested—Document Given in Full with the Names of Those Who Signed It for Their Principals.

Chicago, Jan. 29.—The following is the contract between the operators of the competitive coal fields and the United Mine Workers of America, it having been signed yesterday:

"The following agreement made and entered into in joint interstate convention in this city, Jan. 26, 1898, by and between the operators and miners of Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, and western Pennsylvania, known as the Pittsburg thin vein district, witnesseth:

"First.—That an equal price for mining screened lump coal shall hereafter form a base scale in all of the districts above named excepting the state of Illinois, the block coal district of Indiana to pay 10 cents per ton over that of Hocking Valley, western Pennsylvania and Indiana bituminous district, and that the price of pick run-of-mine coal in Hocking Valley and western Pennsylvania shall be determined by the actual percentage of screenings passing through such creen as is hereinafter provided; it being understood and agreed that screened or run-of-mine coal may be mined and payed for on the above basis at the option of the operators, according to market requirements, and the operators of Indiana bituminous shall also have like option of mining run-of-mine or screen coal.

Stipulation as to Screens.

"Second. — That the screen hereby adopted for the state of Ohio, western Pennsylvania and the bituminous district of Indiana shall be uniform in size, 6 feet wide by 12 feet long, built of flat or Akron-shaped bar of not less than ⅝ths of one inch surface with 1¼ inches between bars, free from obstructions, and that such screenings shall rest upon a sufficient number of bearings to hold the bars in proper position.

"Third.—That the block coal district of Indiana may continue the use of the diamond screen of present size and pattern with the privilege of run-of-mine coal, the mining price of which shall be determined by the actual screenings, and that the state of Illinois shall be absolutely upon a run-of-mine system and shall be paid for on that basis.

ADVANCE IN THE DIGGING PRICE.

Ten Cents a Ton of 2,000 Pounds—Eight-Hour Day of Work.

"Fourth.—That an advance of 10 cents per ton of 2,000 pounds for pick-mined screened coal shall take effect in the western Pennsylvania, Hocking Valley, and Indiana bituminous districts on April 1, 1898, and that Grape creek, Ills., and the bituminous district of Indiana shall pay 40 cents per ton run-of-mine coal from an after same date, based upon 66 cents per ton screened coal in Ohio, western Pennsylvania and the Indiana bituminous district, the same to continue in force until the expiration of this contract.

"Fifth.—That on and after April 1, 1898, the eight-hour work day with eight hours pay, consisting of six days per week, shall be in effect in all of the districts represented, and uniform wages for day labor in the fields named, and that internal differences in any of the states on districts, both as to prices or conditions, shall be referred to the states or districts affected for adjustment.

"Sixth.—That the same relative prices and conditions between machine and pick mining that have existed in the different states shall be continued during the life of this contract.

"Seventh. — That present prices for pick and machine mining and all classes of day labor shall be maintained in the competitive states and districts until April 1, 1898.

"Eighth. — That the United Mine Workers' organization, a party to this contract, does hereby further agree to afford all possible protection to the trade and to the other parties hereto against any unfair competition resulting from a failure to maintain scale rates.

"Ninth.—That this contract shall remain in full force and effect from April 1, 1898, to April 1, 1899, and that our next annual interstate convention shall convene in the city of Pittsburg on the third Tuesday in January, 1899."

The signatures to the foregoing are: For the operators — Illinois, J. H. Garaghty, E. T. Bent; Indiana (bituminous), Walter S. Bogle; Indiana (block), C. B. Nibluk; Pittsburg (thin vein district), J. C. Dysart, F. M. Osborne. For the miners—Illinois, J. M. Hunter, W. D. Ryan; Indiana (bituminous), W. G. Knight, J. H. Kennedy; Indiana (block), J. R. Evans; Ohio, W. K. Farms, T. L. Lewis; Pittsburg (thin vein), Patrick Dolan, E. McKay; West Virginia, Henry Stephenson. Also by the members of the national executive board of the U. M. W. of A., John Dilcher, John Fahy, Henry Stephenson, Edward McKay, J. H. Kennedy, W. D. Ryan; M. D. Ratchford, president of the United Mine Workers of America; John Mitchell, vice president, United Mine Workers of America; W. C. Pearce, seceretary-treasurer, United Mine Workers of America.

PROSCRIPTION CASE IN ENGLAND.

Carpenters Put on the Blacklist by a British Union of Masters.

New York, Jan. 29.—The testimony and other proceedings in the case recently tried in Chicago where a railroad man recovered heavy damages against a railroad corporation for alleged blacklisting growing out of the Debs strike will figure, incidentally at least, as a kind of brief for counsel in a somewhat similar case to be tried at Manchester next month, a local firm of laundrymen having received a request to secure and forward all obtainable data in relation to the Chicago case.

In the English proceedings ten carpenters who were blacklisted in August by the Federation of Master Builders as the outcome of a strike have brought suits for damages aggregating $90,000, their claim being that the blacklist has prevented them obtaining work at their trade not merely in their own vicinity, but throughout the country. Next to the Federation of Employing Engineers, the Federation of Master Builders is the strongest federation of employing capital in England, and the suit will be a notable one.

Big Four Board of Adjustment.

Indianapolis, Jan. 29.—As a result of the present conference between the board of adjustment of the Big Four roads and their employes, the trainmen say that the passenger men on the Peoria and Eastern division will be granted a rearrangement of runs which will amount to an increase in pay. The men claimed that the agreement of 1893 was not lived up to as to overtime and switching at Cincinnati. They say this will also be amicably adjusted.

FAVORABLE FEATURES IN TRADE.

Bradstreet's Points Out Quite a Number to Encourage Merchants.

New York, Jan. 29.—Bradstreet's says: Favorable conditions in the trade situation continue to far outweigh those of an opposite character. Stormy weather throughout a large section of the country this week checked the movement of merchandise in the consumption, but a perceptible increase in the demand for seasonable goods is reported as already resulting. The last week of the month closes with increased activity in many lines, a number of price advances, heavily increased bank clearings as compared with one year ago at nearly all the cities, another considerable drop in the number of failures reported, large exports of cereals, particularly wheat, corn and flour, and perceptible confidence in nearly all branches of trade as regards the outlook for spring business.

Another favorable feature of the week is the slight but distinct improvement in the cotton goods situation, in which speculative activity is awakening. Pig iron is reflecting the effect of the present unprecedented production and a further weakening in prices is recorded. Prices of most staple products are higher on the week: noticeable instances are those of wheat, which is past the dollar mark again at many of the western markets. Business failures for the week are the smallest reported in the fourth week of January for five years past, numbering only 288.

TOP NOTCH MARK FOR WHEAT.

It Goes Up to $1.10 for January—The Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Jan. 29. — January wheat selling at $1.10 and May up to 98⅜c was the remarkable record in the local trade yesterday. This is the top mark for wheat. September went up to $1.05, and traders were astounded when the December price was shoved up to $1.09. Now these figures look small, and further advances are certain. It is predicted by well-posted men that the May figure will be far above even the present high quotations.

Mr. French, representing Leiter on 'change, only smiled at the question when asked about the reported selling of May wheat. "There is no need," said he, "of working against our own interests by selling wheat for May. The world will need the wheat and will make the price if the owners stand firm.

Michiganders Seek the Klondike.

Detroit, Jan. 29.—Twenty-three seekers after fortune left Detroit Thursday night for the Klondike. The party is in charge of William R. Booth, of Detroit, who formerly mined a claim near Circle City. The outfit is due to sail from Seattle Feb. 4.

Illinois Solons Take Another Rest.

Springfield, Ills., Jan. 29.—Nothing was done in either house of the legislature yesterday. The revenue bill remains in statu quo until next Tuesday, when the battle for assessment reform will be resumed.

Fire at Somerset, Ky.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 29.—A special from Somerset says: Fire destroyed four stores and a half dozen offices and smaller buildings. Loss, $100,000; insurance, $65,000.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

All was quiet in the New England strike cities yesterday.

The Western Base Ball league may give Omaha a franchise.

The relations of Guatemala and Salvador are considerably strained now.

Advices received at Managua, Nicaragua, from San Salvador state that a revolution in Salvador is imminent.

King Leopold of Belgium has purchased for $400,000 the yacht Mayflower, built for the late Ogden Goelet, of New York.

Major Edward Whaley, aged 61, a prominent member of the Iron brigade, died suddenly at Prairie du Chien, Wis., of heart disease.

The 3-year-old child of David Berlincourt, near Nappanee, Ind., fell into a vessel filled with boiling water and was scalded to death.

Because she refused to give him money James Nolan cut off the ear of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Margaret Feehan, with a razor at Chicago.

J. T. Carey, who located the big gold strike near Golden, Colo., says he was induced to leave his old home at Rockford, Ills., by a dream.

The Cargill Bros.' elevator and the Northern Grain company's elevator at Eleva, Trempealeau county, Wis., were burned with their contents, 5,000 bushels of oats.

John Reed, the insane patient who ran away from Dunning (Chicago's poor house) Sunday, was found dead in the road south of Waukegan. He had walked forty miles and was frozen to death.

The jury in the case of Charles L. Draper, on trial at Jacksonville, Ills., for the murder of Charles L. Hastings, brought in a verdict, finding him guilty, and giving him a life sentence. The defense pleaded insanity.

A well-dressed young man attacked Ruby Waters, 12 years old, as she was returning home from the Marquette school, Chicago, and after throwing her in the snow, deliberately pulled one of the side braids of her long hair out by the roots by main strength.

FROM LOWELL, MASS.

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IS NO FAIRY TALE.

The Story of the Drunken Brawl With Which the Legislature Closed Last Winter.

WAS MORE THAN BOYS' PLAY.

Prof. A. O. Wright Contradicts the Statement Made Here by Rev. J. F. Brant.

Rev. J. F. Brant, one of the Anti-Saloon speakers here last Sunday, made the statement that the legislative session of last winter did not break up with a drunken brawl. A report of this speech was printed in THE EVENING NEWS and a copy of the paper found its way into the hands of Prof. A. O. Wright, superintendent of the Detroit Anti-Saloon league. Mr. Wright sends THE NEWS the following letter:

Detroit, Jan. 28.—EDITOR EVENING NEWS: In your paper of January 24 you publish a statement of Reverend J. F. Brant, state superintendent of the Michigan Anti-Saloon league, in which he contradicts the statement made by me at the opera house in your city, Sunday evening, January 23, that the last legislature closed with a drunken brawl. This statement found its way into the evening papers of this city yesterday. I based my statement upon information received from persons who were at the state capitol at the time of the occurrence. After reading Mr. Brant's statement in last night's paper I found one of the gentlemen who had told me of the occurrence and asked him to verify his previous statement to me. He said he was there, and that he could very easily understand how, if Mr. Brant simply occupied a seat in the gallery and was not present in other places in the capitol later in the evening, he would make such a statement as he did. The disgraceful scenes were enacted later than the "boys' play" to which Mr. Brant referred. They were enacted in other portions of the capitol. Not more than ten minutes ago one of the reporters of The Evening News called at my office and stated that he was there, and that Mr. Brant's statements were misleading, that the scene was a disgraceful one, that many members of the legislature were intoxicated and that the reports which the newspapers and others had made concerning the meeting had not been exaggerated. I still claim that every assertion which I made upon this point was true, and if necessary I can produce several witnesses who were there, and one of whom states that he participated in the occurrence

I also noticed your editorial on my statement concerning newspapers. I think that you credit me with too specific an utterance. If I remember correctly what I said, or at least what I meant to say was this: that there were many people who took some liquor subsidized newspapers, because as they said, they gave the news. I further said that it was time that these people should know their friends, that if there was a paper which was afraid to speak out upon moral questions and to defend the side of right, or if there was a paper which already spoke out and espoused the cause of wrong, those papers should not come into my home. I did not mean to make any application to the Benton Harbor papers, except this, that if your paper, as it does, defended the temperance cause in your county, it was a Christian duty of the good people to stand by your paper. I think I am exactly right in this. I did not know the situation at Benton Harbor, but I do know that in many places the newspapers are either silent or on the side of wrong. I do not write this letter for publication, yet you may use any portion that you please. If you publish any porton of it, I shall be glad to see a copy of the paper.

Sincerely yours,
O. A. WRIGHT.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. P. on each tablet.

Luetgert and His Lawyers.

Holland Sentinel: Adolph Luetgert passed shrewdly through the test as a witness in his own defense. Whether guilty or not he has more brains than the counsel on either side. He may have murdered his wife but he did not incriminate himself on the witness stand.

A good safe, show cases, and a shoemaker's sewing machine for sale cheap. Inquire S. M. WHITE, dentist.

STILL HARBOR.

Some People Contend It is the Cheapest and Best.

Among the many ideas advanced in regard to the improvement of the harbor is the one in favor of a still water harbor at Double L gap. Its advocates claim that a permanent harbor could be built cheaper at that point than at the mouth of the river. That would necessitate the construction of another canal and would give Benton Harbor an endless lot of dock room.

HE IS STIRRED UP.

CONGRESSMAN HAMILTON SEES NEEDS OF OUR HARBOR.

Making Use of the Duluth Disaster to Get a $420,000 Appropriation.

Congressman Hamilton has been stirred up to a high pitch by the stranding of the Duluth on the St. Joseph sand bar. As one of the results of his efforts to get relief for St Joseph harbor, Congressman Hamilton has

CONGRESSMAN HAMILTON.

also secured a promise from the river and harbor committee to visit that city in the near future, to see the situation as it is.

A Washington special to the Detroit Tribune says: While the northwest gale was hurling ashore the wreckage of the big steamer City of Duluth at St. Joseph Congressman Hamilton of that district was making ineffectual attempts to catch Speaker Reed's eye for the purpose of starting legislation to give St. Joseph and Benton Harbor a big enough appropriation to prevent other disastrous wrecks on the St. Joseph bar.

"I have been afraid of just such an accident at the mouth of those piers," said Mr. Hamilton, "and I have been bending every energy toward getting that very dangerous harbor entrance permanently fixed. The regular recommendation of the war department for this year's river and harbor bill names $100,000 as the amount needed for that harbor, but the development of business there has been so great and the introduction of big car ferries have made it so apparent that we would have some costly disasters there if the harbor was not vastly improved that the war department now recommends $320,000 additional for St. Joseph harbor, but it has no authority to lay the survey before congress. Mr. Reed has promised to recognize me."

A BIG FIND.

Oil Discovered in the Vicinity of Coloma.

Coloma Courier: On Monday evening a large number of the business men of Coloma met at The Courier office and formed a temporary organization with a view of perfecting an organization to be known as the Coloma Commercial club. Dr. W. A. Baker was selected as the temporary president and Charles J. Creller as the temporary secretary. A committee composed of Messrs. Charles J. Creller, A. W. Baker and Dr. S. Stevens was appointed to draft a constitution and bylaws and to report same for consideration at a meeting to be held Monday evening, January 31, at Baker's hall.

Frank Britain, a Chicago capitalist, appeared before the meeting and in a lengthy speech told of what he considered a very important discovery, which was the surface indication of oil which he had investigated in the vicinity of Hyde's bridge and also at Paw Paw lake. He pictured the possibility of developing a great oil field and securing untold riches for everyone.

PEOPLE PLEASED.

Evening News Band Delighted an Audience in Pipestone Last Night.

The Evening News Newsboys' band, assisted by the mandolin club, Miss Cora Hull, elocutionist, and A. Usborne, soloist, gave a satisfactory and entertaining concert in the North U. B. church of Pipestone last night.

The crowd left this city shortly after 3 o'clock in two teams driven by W. F. Howard and Jacob Swisher and arrived at the elegant farm home of Mr. Howard at 5:30. Here the crowd partook of a bountiful supper and to have seen the boys eat one would have imagined it was the first square meal they had had since last summer.

The concert began shortly before 8 o'clock and opened with the Twin City two-step by the entire band. All of the numbers by the band were loudly applauded but the readings by Miss Hull, the solos by Master Clyde Fields and Willie Ludlow, the solos of Mr. Usborne, and the selections by the Mandolin club, were so heartily received that many of the numbers had to be repeated.

The boys are well pleased with their reception in Pipestone and will undoubtedly accept the invitation of Mr. and Mrs. Howard to spend an entire day on their farm sometime during the coming summer.

A FORMER PASTOR.

Rev. B. C. Preston Making a Record in Wisconsin.

The local papers of Whitewater, Wis., make a business of printing the sermons of Rev. B. C Preston, a former pastor of the Benton Harbor Congregational church. Last Sunday he preached on "Indecision," and said:

"Young man, people are saying of you now,—'Wait twenty years and he will be a great man.' But in five years they will say, 'he has a great deal in him,' and in ten years, 'he will succeed yet;' and in fifteen years, they will say somewhat more doubtfully, 'he may amount to something;' but in twenty years they will never speak of you, for they know that you are a tragic failure, and your failure has been in indecision.

"Have a will," said Mr. Preston, and exercise it now, while you can. I heard a young man in this city say, "I have a will. I can drink or I can let it alone. I can stop when I choose." Can he? Daniel Webster couldn't. And I doubt very much whether a Daniel Webster is now clerking in Whitewater!"

"For God's sake be decided: and be decided for God's sake."

"Decide—do not drift with that hopeless class of worshipers who are touched by every sermon, convinced in every service, thrilled by every holy hymn, but never changed or converted, or redeemed by any."

Michigan Pensions.

Michigan pensions were granted Thursday as follows: Original—Elias Yager, Coleman, $8: Martin J. Crahen, Muskegon, $8: George W. Butterfield, Bay City, $8: William K. Van Hise, Decatur, $8: Sampson Carpenter, Locke, $6: Dor V. B. Cushman, Shelby, $8: William Gale, Bear Lake, $6: William H. Jacoby, Nashville: $6: James Kelly, Manchester, $6. Restoration and increase—William E. Romine, Kalamazoo, $4 to $7. Restoration, reissue and increase—Chester Walker, Alma, $10 to $17. Renewal—George Vaughn, Cadillac, $6. Increase—Perry Wilson, Coldwater, $8 to $10: George Seymour, Fremont, $6 to $8: Alexander B. Hunt, Muskegon, $10 to $12: Philip Pitcher, Olds, $17 to $24.

Congressman Hamilton has introduced bills giving back bounty to William H, Southwell, pensions to Sarah Chappel and Susan Stevens and relief to James Mathews.

Frand Rapids will have another "hot time in the old town" during April.

Owosso has started a fight to steal the county seat of Shiawassee from Corunna.

William D. Klinger, a Bangor deaf mute, has gone crazy over religion and was taken to the Kalamazoo asylum.

New Michigan postmasters: Boyne Falls, Charlevoix county, Daniel S. Judd, vice W. R. Vilet, removed; Pawlowski, Huron county, Joseph Pawlowski, vice E. Buchowski, removed.

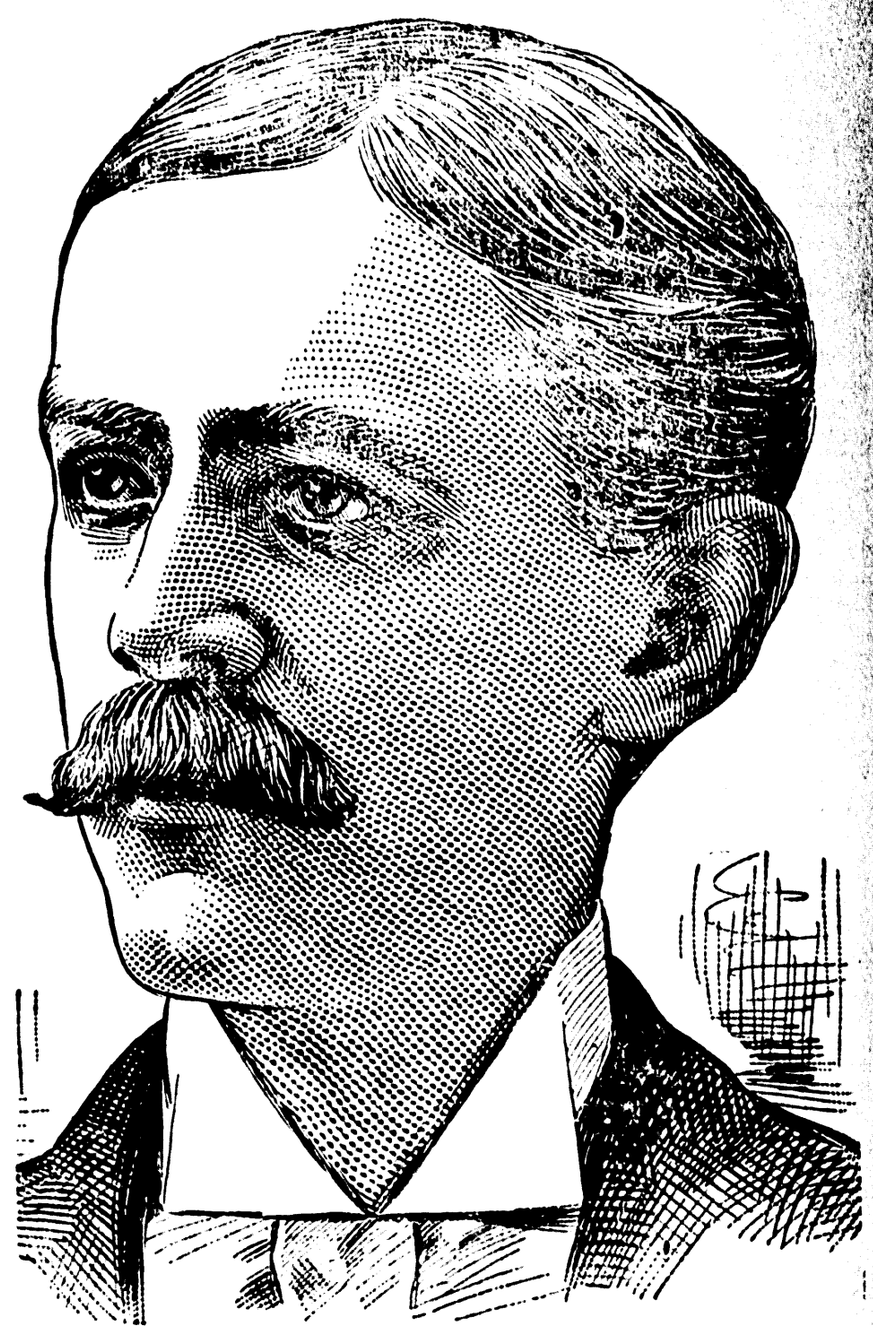
Eighty Per Cent are Catarrh Subjects.—Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder will cure the worst of them. It has been tested a thousand times and never disappoints. It is pleasant to apply, harmless, and gives such quick relief. One short puff will clear a cold from the head and prevent the possibility of contracting this nasty disease which taints about 80 per cent of the whole American people. Sold by Geo. M. Bell & Co.—26.

Smoke "Our Congressman" 5c cigar.

The Globe clothing and shoe store is moved to 112 Pipestone street.

THE MAYOR OF LYNN

Paine's Celery Compound Never Fails to Invigorate Him When Worn Out.



Mayor Ramsdell is again mayor of Lynn.

Two years ago he was elected by the combined People's party, Democratic and Citizens' Reform party. He was again nominated by acclamation by the Democrats to succeed himself as mayor of the busy modern city, and was again elected by a rousing majority last month.

Mayor Ramsdell's present high position is the legitimate reward of his ability and his fearlessness in defending his opinions. He has never hesitated to declare his convictions in public, nor has he been slow to espouse the cause of the shoemakers and other wage earners. In 1894 he was candidate of the People's party for Congress. A hard worker, a conscientious official, Mayor Ramsdell has more than once been pushed to the limit of his strength. At such times of extreme nervous tension and overwork, he has saved himself from breaking down by taking Paine's celery compound.

Mayor Ramsdell's honest opinion of this great remedy cannot be mistaken by any one who reads his letter that follows:

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Gentlemen:—A previous experienc with Paine's celery compound, as a r storer of exhausted energy, induced m recently to take it again, the many d ties of the mayor's office having taxe my slight physical resources greatly I made no mistake. In one week found my appetite improved, the fee ing of weariness disappearing, and m nerves becoming steadier. Paine celery compound has thus been a frien in time of need, and I like to say a wor for a friend.

Truly yours,
WALTER L. RAMSDELL.

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THE grand jury cannot be composed of the poor, for the poor are always with us.

IF Congressman Hamilton secures that $420,000 appropriation for our harbor nobody will care who holds the postoffices.

THE prospect is that the wreck of the Duluth will have a good effect in securing a large harbor appropriation. It is an object lesson that cannot be laughed aside.

WHAT right has the secretary of the treasury to say that "coin" is gold and not silver? If the president and his secretary even say so does it change the fact that silver is also coin?

IT may interest the Niles millionaire to know that the estate of the late President Hayes has been assessed $7,-00 on account of the family dog. The brute scared a horse and caused a runaway that resulted in permanent injuries to the driver.

THE United States senate made a spectacle of itself yesterday in passing the Teller resolution, which provides for the payment of the government bonds in silver or gold. The vote carried 47 to 32. Had the senators been as well informed as the average republican country editor they would have known that the "silver issue is dead."

WILLIAM E. Curtis, the gifted Washington correspondent of the Chicago Record writes:

The consulates are all gone. The only ones left are agencies that pay from $280 to $500, and nobody can be induced to take them except business men residing at the places who have other sources of income and are willing to undertake the duties and responsibilities of the consulate for the social distinction and business advantages that go with the title. There is, therefore, no further use in trying to obtain appointments of this kind. Several of the places that appear on the list as still open have been promised.

Can it be possible that the Michigan republican press association knew this when it endorsed one of the brethren last week?

WRECK OF THE DULUTH.

What Some of the Papers Say About It.

Watervliet Record: The steamer City of Duluth, coming into St. Joseph in the heavy wind Wednesday night, went aground and was broken to pieces by the waves. The entire cargo was lost and it was with difficulty that the crew were rescued.

Grand Rapids Democrat: There is no hope of saving anything from the wreck as there is a very high sea rolling. No boat can reach her and she is rapidly going to pieces.

South Haven Messenger: News was received Tuesday that the steamer City of Duluth struck on the bar at St. Joseph Wednesday night and was wrecked. She had sixty passengers who, with the crew, were rescued by the life saving crew.

The Repartee.

Even Dr. Johnson was won over by Wilkes' delightful manners until they were found by Boswell "reclined upon their chairs, with their heads leaning almost close to each other and talking earnestly in a kind of confidential whisper of the personal quarrel between George II and the king of Prussia. It presented to my mind the happy days which are foretold in Scripture, when the lion shall lie down with the kid." According to Boswell, "when Wilkes and I sat together each glass of wine produced a flash of wit, like gunpowder thrown into the fire—puff, puff!" But Wilkes hardly confirmed this, for he thought the famous "Life" the work "of an entertaining madman," in which "much was put down to Boswell which was undoubtedly said by Johnson—what the latter did, and the former could not say." We can well imagine that an encounter with Boswell would have many charms for Wilkes.

No man ever lived who could adapt his wit better to his company. Compare his chaff of the alderman, formerly a bricklayer, who was trying to carve a turbot with a knife—"Use a trowel, brother, use a trowel"—with his reply to Mme. de Pompadour when she asked him, "How far is it safe to go in England against the royal family?"—"That is what I am trying to find out, madame." There are few more really witty replies recorded than that made to the prince regent, who asked him at dinner when he drank to the king's health, "How long have you been so loyal, Wilkes?" "Ever since I knew your royal highness."—Cornhill Magazine.

Buy your candies of Wallace Bros. and get a $75 bicycle.

T. P. Anthony, Ex-Postmaster, of Promise City, Iowa, says: "I bought one bottle of 'Mystic Cure' for Rheumatism, and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine I ever took." Sold by G. M. Bell & Co., Druggists, Benton Harbor, 108 Main street

The Enterprise laundry is now ready for business. Try them for fine work. tf003

HE WAS ... FOR CRIME.

Suspected Train Robber Caught Prepared for Criminal Business.

Kansas City, Jan. 29.—John F. Kennedy, a locomotive engineer who has been twice tried for complicity in train robberies at Blue Cut, was picked up on West Fifeenth street last night in an unconscious condition. He had been thrown from a stumbling horse. A commotion was caused at the police hospital when Kennedy was brought in, as he was disguised by a false chin beard, and was equipped for an expedition that could not have meant peace for his fellow men. In one of Kennedy's pockets was a black domino mask. Distributed about his clothes were the several pieces of a disjointed shotgun.

In adition to these were a 45-caliber revolver and a liberal supply of cartridges and shotgun shells. He also carried a lantern. When Kennedy recovered at the hospital he refused to talk further than to say that he started on a hunting trip. A second man who was riding with Kennedy rode away at a rapid gait after Kennedy's horse fell.

NEARLY DIED IN THE WILDERNESS.

Whole Family Found Perishing on the Desert in California.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 29.—E. Adolph, of this city, who has returned from Mammoth Tank, a small station on the Southern Pacific road fifty miles northwest of Yuma, reports that L. S. Putnam, agent of the Norton Drake company, found a whole family perishing on the desert Thursday night and rescued them. The family consisted of William Joyce, of Prescott, A. T., and his five children, the oldest 12 years of age and the youngest 5 years.

Joyce had tried to drive overland from Prescott to Chino, Cal. His horses died at Gila Bend and the family tried to walk across the desert. Their provisions gave out and when found the whole six were on the verge of death. Only the most careful nursing succeeded in keeping them alive the first night. They had walked 350 miles and carried provisions and water on their backs.

Frank Collier Gets a Divorce.

Chicago, Jan. 29.—Attorney Frank Howard Collier was granted a divorce from his wife, Fannie G. Collier, by Judge Freeman yesterday morning on the ground of cruelty and desertion. There will be no appeal from the decision, and the only question now remaining to be settled is that of the disposition of the three children. Mrs. Collier will get neither alimony nor allowance for her lawyers and may lose the children in the end.

Disagreed on That Plumbing Law.

La Crosse, Wis., Jan. 29.—The jury in the case of the state against W. F. Ferguson, in the circuit court, disagreed after being out ten hours. This is an action brought to test the plumbing law passed by the last legislature. Ferguson was convicted in the criminal branch of the county court of engaging in the plumbing business as a master plumber without first securing a license as required by the state laws.

Mine Trammer Instantly Killed.

Bessemer, Mich., Jan. 29.—Antone Lucinski, a Polish trammer, was almost instantly killed at the Colby mine, section 16, yesterday by falling from the tramway of No. 5 shaft, a distance of forty feet. Lucinski was sweeping the snow from the track when his companion came by with the car. In stepping back to get out of the way it is supposed that Lucinski lost his balance and fell.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

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"A man sees lots of funny things while traveling around the country, but the most peculiar sight I ever saw was in Omaha the last time I was there," said Charles Killinger of Cincinnati. "While walking along the street there one day I saw two negroes with hair as red as any red hair you ever saw. It was as kinky as the negro wool usually is. It was a funny sight, and I stopped to look at them as they went down the street. A friend of mine who resides there told me those negroes had come from the south some years ago and as far as he knew were full blooded darkies. Six fingered people are not uncommon, but for freaks those darkies took the cake."—Denver Republican.

Mistakes of the "Publisher's Reader."

I was speaking of some of my experiences as a publisher's "reader," a few years ago, in a recent conversation with a friend, who told me that Mr. John Morley had read "Mr. Isaacs" for Messrs. Macmillan and had advised against its publication on the ground that while it would be a most creditable book to have on their list, there would be no sale for it. In the light of subsequent events this is rather amusing, but it only proves that even so astute a critic as Mr. Morley is not infallible—in other words, that he is human.—Critic.

Ready Information.

Tommy (looking up from his book)—Pa, what do they mean by "Darwin's missing link?"

Pa—Why—er—Mr. Darwin lost one of his cuff buttons, I suppose.—Philadelphia Record.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

COPELAND Monday evening.

MR. and Mrs. P. H. Carley are the parents of a bouncing baby girl.

THE Y. P. C. U. will conduct the service at the Universalist church tomorrow evening.

ALGER Guard entertainment, don't forget it and be on hand to see the free street parade.

REV. J. N. Wilson was called to St. Joseph this morning to conduct the funeral of the daughter of Mrs. Sherwood.

THE Congregational choir will conduct a vesper service tomorrow evening. The pastor will deliver a short address.

LOOK out for the Sallamgundy social and sleigh ride given by the Congregational ladies next week. Watch out for for date.

THERE will be public dances at Pearl Grange hall February 8 and 22. An oyster supper will be served on the latter date.

REV. E. A. Hoffman gave an excellent address at the Rescue Mission last night to a crowded house. Two persons professed to be saved.

FRED Vandenburg, who will soon leave for the Klondike, will be succeeded as assistant engineer at the water works by Walter Rounds.

THE Coloma society of Spiritualists will hold a meeting in Jones & Sonner hall at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The meeting will be addressed by Peter Merrifield of Coloma.

IRVING Jaquay & Co. have just issued a neat 20-page catalogue illustrating the varieties of nursery stock handled and giving price list. It is a very neat book and was printed by the A. B. Morse printing company.

RICE & Massey have just finished painting and varnishing the interior of the new store to be occupied by Hipp, Enders & Puterbaugh. The store presents a nobby appearance and the new firm will be ready for business in a short time.

THE Benton Harbor Times has started an employment agency. Help will be furnished and situations found free of charge.

In Justice Cady's court this morning Gustave Fowlk secured a judgment of $85 and costs against Alfred Scherer. It was a labor claim. I. W. Riford was Fowlk's attorney.

THE members of the Alger Guard are under obligations to President Bean of the street railway for allowing them to display the advertising matter of their minstrels in his cars.

MANAGER Beckley of the Eastman Springs, Morton Hill line, is contemplating over the advisability of making trips every half hour if he was satisfied it would increase traffic or be of any special benefit to his patrons.

THE members of Millburg Grange will furnish an elaborate program for Bainbridge Grange tonight. Some time ago Bainbridge Grange entertained Millburg. The latter grange will now return the compliment with interest.

COVERT correspondence: Clement Smith and Charles Lamott have been spending the winter cutting bolts for a Benton Harbor company. Their work was nearly completed when last Saturday Mr. Lamott smashed one of his fingers. The job will be completed by Mr. Smith and another man.

JUSTICE Kimball still holds the $178 Mr. Glover paid for 57 shares of the Deam stock. The secretary of the company is in Chicago and as soon as he returns and makes out a transfer certificate the stock will be given to its new owner and Mrs. Jackson will receive pay for her board bill.

THE annual shooting match was held at Pearl Grange Thursday. The team of which John Downing was captain won by 6 points. The opposing team led by Will Van Derveer took their defeat very gracefully and yesterday

THE game of living checkers which will be played in Conkey's hall between Samuel Hull and ex-Mayor Plummer February 7, 8 and 9, will be novel and to those who have never seen the game it will be a treat. The entertainment is given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society of the Congregational church.

AUGUST Kerwein, one of the passengers on the Duluth, denies the report that he was badly frightened at the time of the wreck. He says he gave his life preserver to the lady passengers and that when Capt. McLean called for volunteers he responded to test the life saving apparatus. THE NEWS is glad to set Mr. Kernwein right.

COLOMA Courier: A game of "Living Checkers" between a couple of Benton Harbor experts will be placed on the boards in that town some evening next week. We are not up in all the mysteries of the living checkers, perhaps—but is it played like the dead game, you know? Jump you know, and—and—well, say, how do you crown a king in case you get one? Up here in the woods we kind o' pile 'em up, you know. Oh, you don't eh? All right—good bye.

THE WHEAT MARKET.

CHICAGO, Jan. 28—Comparative closing prices on wheat for two days.

	Jan. 28	Jan. 27
Wheat—January	$1 08	$1 05
May	97⅛	97⅛
July	86¾	87⅛
Corn—January	27⅞	28
May	29⅝	29⅝
July	30⅝	30⅝
Oats—January	23¾	23
May	24¼	24¼
July	23	23

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Misses and Children's Jackets and Cloaks to close at your own price.
10 dozen Ladies' Fleeced Wrappers, values beyond compare at 89c and $1.19, worth $1.25 to $1.75.

Clearing of Underwear-Big Bargains

Odd lots and sizes of Underwear at a big sacrifise to close out. Men's heavy Merino Underwear at 25c each. Ladies' Undsrwear, 50c and 65c values, now at 33c each. Children's Underwear, all sizes, at 19c each.

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Every department at this season contains special marked-down goods. They'll interest you if you seek bargains.

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Tonight will Occur our last Special Sale for January 1898. You can save money by taking advantage of it.

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Eggs Have Dropped a Cent

And Everything Else Has Fallen in Price for our

Saturday Sale.... ...TONIGHT

Here are Samples of our Prices:

Corn Starch, per package	4c
Eggs, per dozen	16c
McLaughlin xxxx Coffee, not gr'd, 1 lb	9c
Corn Meal, per sack	9c
Evaporated Apricots, per lb.	10c
Heinz's Table Catsup, per bottle	10c
Onions, per pk	12c
10 Bars Jaxon Soap	25c
Wheat Granules, per 2 lb. package	10c
Wheat Germ Flakes, per 2 lb. package	10c

One dozen cedar lead pencils, 5c

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…Speech on Money
…New York by President McKinley.

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The Upper House Will Not Even Demand the Parity of the Two Metal Moneys and Gives 20 Majority Against Gold Payment —Teller Resolution Adopted by the Decisive Vote of 47 to 32—Party Lines Badly Broken and a Few Senators Did Not Answer to Their Names.

Washington, Jan. 29.—After a debate, animated at all times and occasionally acrimonious, which occupied the greater part of this week, the senate last evening, by the decisive vote of 47 to 32, passed the Teller concurrent resolution. The resolution of practical re-affirmation of that of Stanley Matthews in 1887, and is as follows: "That all the bonds of the United States, issued or authorized to be issued under the said acts of congress hereinbefore recited, are payable, principal and interest, at the option of the government of the United States in silver dollars of the coinage of the United States containing 412½ grains each of standard silver; and that to restore to its coinage such silver coins as a legal tender in payment of said bonds, principal and interest, is not in violation of the public faith nor in derogation of the rights of the public creditor."

Would Not Even Pledge to Parity.

All efforts to amend the resolution were voted down by majorities ranging from 5 to 29, Lodge's gold standard substitute being defeated by the latter majority. The vote on the Lodge amendment was ayes, 24; nays, 53. But the mildest of the amendments—from a silver standpoint—that declaring it the duty of the government to maintain the parity of all its forms of money, was defeated by a vote of 43 to 37. The events of the day leading up to the final vote were full of interest and importance. It was a field day for the orators of the senate, no less than twenty-five senators empracing the opportunity to speak upon the subject under discussion. The galleries were crowded throughout the day, and several of the speakers said the duscussion was but the preliminary alignment of the great political parties for the contest of 1900. From 10 o'clock in the morning until 7 in the evening the contest was continued.

Party Lines Were Much Broken Up.

When the voting began it was evident that party lines were being broken on both sides of the chamber, but it was on the substitute offered by Lodge that the most decided break occurred. On the Republican side Allison and Burrows did not answer to their names on that roll-call, and many of the Republicans voted directly against it. Upon the final passage of the resolution some Republicans who supported McKinley and the St. Louis platform in 1896, like Carter, Chandler, Clark of Wyoming, Pritchard of North Carolina, Shoup of Idaho, Warren of Wyoming and Wolcott voted for the resolution because, as Wolcott announced, they did not believe the resolution committed those who supported it to the free and unlimited coinage of silver.

SOME OF THE SIGNIFICANT VOTES.

With the Names of the Senators Who Voted Aye and Nay.

The first amendment was that of Nelson declaring that "it is the duty of the government of the United States, under existing laws, to maintain the parity in value of its gold and silver money, so that the dollar of one metal shall for all monetary purposes always be equal in value to the dollar of the other metal." The vote to table was as follows: Yeas —Allen, Bacon, Bates, Berry, Butler, Cannon, Carter, Chandler, Chilton, Clay, Cockrell, Daniel, Harris, Heitfeld, Jones of Arkansas, Kyle, McEnery, McLaurin, Mallory, Mantle, Martin, Mills, Mitchell, Money, Morgan, Murphy, Pasco, Pettigrew, Pettus, Rawlins, Roach, Shoup, Smith, Stewart, Teller, Tillman, Turner, Turpie, Vest, White and Wolcott—42.

Nays—Aldrich, Allison, Baker, Burrows, Caffery, Clark, Cullom, Davis, Fairbanks, Foraker, Gallinger, Gear, Gray, Hale, Hanna, Hansbrough, Hawley, Hoar, Lindsay, Lodge, McBride, McMillen, Mason, Morrill, Nelson, Penrose, Perkins, Platt of Conecticut, Platt of New York, Pritchard, Quay, Sewell, Thurston, Warren, Wellington, Wetmore and Wilson—37.

The Lodge amendment made the square issue on "payment in gold or its equivalent" of all national obligations; Wolcott on that account asked for a roll-call and it resulted: Yeas—Aldrich, Baker, Caffery, Cullom, Davis, Fairbanks, Foraker, Gallinger, Gear, Hale, Hanna, Hawley, Hoar, Lodge, McBride, McMillan, Mason, Morrill, Penrose, Platt of Conecticut, Platt of New York, Sewell, Wellington and Wetmore —24.

Nays—Allen, Bacon, Bate, Berry, Cannon, Carter, Chandler, Chilton, Clark, Clay, Cockrell, Daniel, Gray, Hansbrough, Harris, Heitfeld, Jones of Arkansas, Kenney, Kyle, Lindsay, McEnery, McLaurin, Mallory, Mantle, Martin, Mills, Mitchell, Money, Morgan, Murphy, Nelson, Pasco, Perkins, Pettigrew, Pettus, Pritchard, Quay, Rawlins, Roach, Shoup, Smith, Stewart, Teller, Thurston, Tillman, Turner, Turpie, Vest, Warren, White, Wilson and Wolcott—53.

There were several other amendments voted on—and all defeated—before the main question was put on the Teller resolution as it was introduced, and the vote on that was as follows: Yeas—Allen, Bacon, Bate, Berry, Butler, Cannon, Chandler, Chilton, Clark, Clay, Cockrell, Daniel, Gray, Harris, Heitfeld, Jones of Arkansas, Kenney, Kyle, Lindsay, McEnery, McLaurin, Mallory, Mantle, Martin, Mills, Mitchell, Money, Morgan, Murphy, Pasco, Pettigrew, Pettus, Pritchard, Rawlins, Roach, Shoup, Smith, Stewart, Teller, Tillman, Turpie, Turner, Vest, Warren, White and Wolcott—47.

Nays—Aldrich, Allison, Baker, Burrows, Caffery, Cullom, Davis, Fairbanks, Foraker, Gallinger, Gear, Hale, Hanna, Hansbrough, Hawley, Hoar, … McMillan, Mason, Morrill, … Wellington, Wetmore and Wilson—32.

The pairs throughout the voting were as follows: Turley with Deboe; Faulkner with Elkins; Gorman with Frye; Jones of Nevada with Proctor; Walthall with Spooner. The first-named would in each case have voted for the resolution as it was introduced.

Methodists Have Their Claim Allowed.

Washington, Jan. 29.—The bill to pay the book publishing company of the Methodist church south $288,000 for damages sustained by that corporation during the war, after encountering an obstinate filibuster which had staved off a vote on two previous private bill days, was piloted to its passage in the house yesterday by Cooper of Texas, who was in charge of the measure. The friends of the measure proved themselves in an overwhelming majority, and the opposition reluctantly yielded. The vote on the bill was 188 to 67. An evening session was held, the first of the session, devoted to pension legislation. The entire calendar of twenty-nine bills was cleared before the hour of adjournment arrived.

No Official Welcome to Dole.

Washington, Jan. 29.—There has been talk among members in both houses of a resolution of welcome to President Dole and an invitation to visit them in session, as was done when King Kalakaua was here. This was generally assented to in conversation by members of both sides. But Minister Hatch hearing of it quietly signified to them that President Dole while highly appreciating every suggestion of courtesy would greatly prefer that it be omitted.

Secretary Alger "Doing Nicely."

Washington, Jan. 29.—Acting Secretary Meiklejohn, who visited Secretary Alger yesterday on the matter of official business, said that the secretary was "doing nicely." He had not seen the secretary for about ten days, and was agreebly surprised to find him looking so well. The secretary is still a very sick man, however, and the very nature of his trouble—grip and malaria—precludes the probability of a rapid convalesence.

IMITATIONS,

NOT COUNTERFEITS

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 16.—It transpires that the pills said to have been sold as counterfeits of Dodd's Kidney Pills are not such, but an imitation which has been given a name cunningly constructed so as to approach as nearly as possible in sound and appearance that of the celebrated Dodd's Kidney Pills. This practice of imitating the name of valuable articles, unfortunately is not prohibited by law. The genuine are put up in round, flat, wooden boxes with blue labels and red bands, on the lid of which appears prominently the name Dodd's Kidney Pills in clear, white letters. This style of package is the exclusive property of the Dodd's Medicine Co., and no imitator dare use it. The public, therefore, need only exercise ordinary precaution to prevent being deceived.

Dodd's Kidney Pills are the only remedy that has ever cured Bright's Disease, Diabetes, or Dropsy. They are a never-failing cure for Rheumatism, Lumbago, Backache, Female Troubles and all diseases caused by impure blood. They tone the kidneys to healthy action, so that all impurities are removed from the blood and a clear skin, bright eyes, a firm gait and the bloom of health soon return. People should be very careful to get the genuine Dodd's Kidney Pills, because Dodd's Kidney Pills always cure and never disappoint.

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The Globe clothing and shoe store is moved to 112 Pipestone street.

Buy your tobacco of Wallace Bros. and get a $15 pipe.

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Photographs of the wrecked City of Duluth 25 cents each at A. D. Lacy's photo car. 6t718

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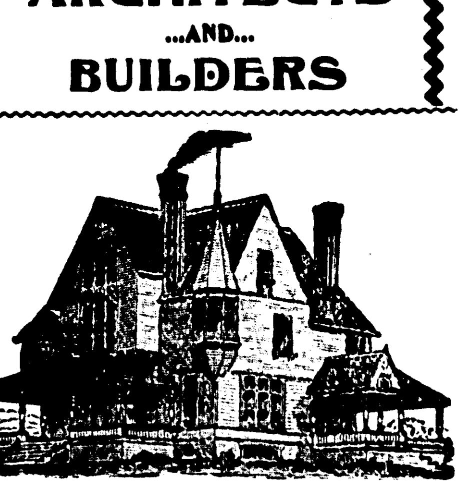

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BENTON DIVISION, COURT NO. 1, ORDER of Patricians, meets every Friday evening in Modern Woodmen hall. All visiting Patricians cordially invited
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B. J. MORRISON, clerk.

KNIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES, BENTON Tent, No. 104, meet at Odd Fellows' hall Regular review second and fourth Fridays of each month. G. W. FALES, Com.
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B. O. JOHNSON, Sec'y.

Marquette Lodge, D. of R., meets every alternate Saturday evening. Mrs. Lizzie Hepler, N. G.; B. O. Johnson, Sec'y.

LADIES OF THE MACCABEES, BENTON Hive, No. 545, meet at Odd Fellow's hall first and third Wednesday nights of each month.
EMMA CANTRELL, Commander.
MARGARET MURRAY, Record Keeper.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—BANNER Camp No. 40 commencing April 30, meet every other Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at G. A. R. hall on West Main street. Visiting sovereigns will be cordially received.
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12:10	3:50	3:00	Benton H'rbor	10:30	8:05	3:0…
12:25	3:57	3:15	St. Joseph	10:20	7:59	2:5…
3:20	6:50	6:40	Chicago	7:20	5:15	11:1…
p. m.	p. m.	a. m.		a. m.	p. m.	p. m.

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p m	a m		p m	a m
5 15	10 30	St. Joseph	2 15	9 15
5 45	11 08	Baroda	1 51	8 42
6 12	11 29	Galien	1 30	8 1…
7 00	12 08	South Bend	12 53	…
	2 20	Logansport	10 36	
	5 45	Indianapolis	7 16	
	6 35	Terre Haute	6 20	
	p m		a m	

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TIME TABLE.

Effective Sunday, December 5, 1897.

Going South No. 3 Daily Ex. Sun.	No. 1 Daily Ex. Sun.	Mls from B. H.	Stations	Going North No. 2 Daily Ex. Sun.	No. 4 Daily Ex. Sun.
p m	a m			a m	p m
4 00	7 00		Lv Ben. H'rbr Ar	11 20	6 45
*4 16	*7 14	8.2	Royalton	*11 01	*6 27
*4 25	*7 21	11.4	Hinchman	*10 52	*6 19
4 42	7 33	16 5	Berrien Springs	10 38	6 0…
*4 51	*7 41	19.5	Oakland	*10 26	*5 56
5 10	8 00	27.0	Ar Buchanan Lv	10 00	5 35

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THE EVENING NEWS..

Zones being so common, it may be imagined how small the yield of oil must be to account for a quoted price of 36 shillings an ounce, or about £28 per pound, and this to the chemist himself. What it resolves itself into as a retail price is hardly worth going into, as a retail demand—beyond an occasional drop at sixpence upon a handkerchief, upon a special occasion—is unknown, its chief use being in scenting powders and the making up of fancy compound scents. Ten thousand pounds, or nearly five tons, of roses it takes to obtain a pound of the oil. These are distilled with twice their bulk of water, and the attar skimmed—very carefully skimmed—off the surface of the distillate in the receiving vessel. The adulterator has again here a field for action, which he avails himself of, in distilling a proportion of geranium flowers, the oil of which has a somewhat similar rosy smell, with the roses, this paying, in that it takes but the comparatively humble number of 500 geranium flowers to yield a pound of their oil.

Constantinople being a port of shipment, sailors, after their usual amiable weakness of being swindled, buy cheaply there, for presentation to appreciative wives and sweethearts at home, long, narrow, gilded bottles of supposed attar of roses, in reality bottles which the genuine article has been poured into and out again and then filled with a clear, scentless oil of the same appearance and specific gravity as the true, the few remaining drops clinging to the interior of the bottle being strong enough to convince the smelling buyer that he has got the right thing on the spot.—Chambers' Journal.

Lamps of the London Cabs.

"A thing that struck me about the hansom cabs in London—this was some years ago, but I guess it's just the same now," said a citizen of this town, "was the fact that the lamps they carried all had in the back a red glass about as big as the end of a good sized spool. When the lamps were lighted at night, they all showed these two little red disks at the rear. I don't know why this is so—maybe the lamps are all by one maker and it's his fancy—but I imagine there's a reason for it. Anyhow the effect is picturesque, whether the cabs are seen singly or in numbers. In the Strand, for instance, one may see long lines of hansoms, all headed one way and close together. Looking along these lines from the rear one sees an unbroken series of red lights diminishing in the perspective, and one sees also the little red lights flitting here and there. They don't illuminate, but their color certainly contributes to the variety and the gayety of the night scene.

"One sees these red lights at the rear of a New York hansom, but only occasionally. Our hansoms are most of them well finished and mounted, many of them, for instance, carrying fine lamps; but not many of them show the red disks. Perhaps there's no reason why they should, but I like to see them."—New York Sun.

Men and Horses Killed in Battle.

In regular battles the proportion of loss among men and horses is quite close, and in hand to hand combats of cavalry, as well as in sharp artillery engagements, for every man killed or wounded there is also a dumb warrior entitled to a place beside him on the roll of honor. The Light brigade at Balaklava rode in 660 (not 600) strong and lost 288 men, but of the 660 horses 360 were shot down by the Russian guns.

In the fierce charges of the German uhlans and cuirassiers at Vionville, Mars-la-Tour, in 1870, 1,400 men and 1,600 horses were killed and wounded. In the fierce artillery contest on the same field 730 men and over 1,000 horses fell around the guns. At Gravelotte, soon after Mars-la-Tour, the artillery fighting was also terrible, and 1,300 horses were shot down around the batteries, though the loss of the artillerists was less than 1,000.—Our Animal Friends.

A Standard of Fitness.

He is a man of irascible impulses and a bluntness of speech which wins him many enemies. At the card table he was greatly annoyed by a lady who insisted on paying more attention to conversation than she did to the game.

"I see no reason," she was saying, "why a woman should not assume just as much importance in all affairs as men do."

"I see none myself," replied the irascible man with unusual gentleness, "provided she is intellectually qualified to do so."

"And what would you suggest as the test of her mental fitness?"

"As good a test as any would be her ability to remember what are trumps."—Pearson's Weekly.

Home Help.

Small Daughter—It's most school-time, and I've mislaid my geography.

Cultured Mother—Well, tell me what the lesson is about, and I'll write out the answer for you to learn.

Small Daughter—The lakes of Africa.

Cultured Mother—Um—er—if you've mislaid your geography, you careless child, you can just hunt till you find it.—New York Weekly.

Hopeless.

Sir Charles—Not understand she difference between convex and concave? I will try to explain. Convex is like the outside curve of an umbrella opened. The inside view would be concave.

Aline—I see. But how would that be with a parasol?—London Punch.

In the fourteenth century armor became so heavy that many soldiers only 30 years old were deformed or permanently disabled by its weight.

The United Kingdom has 1,700,000 factory operatives, France 1,780,000, Germany 1,580,000 and the United States 2,750,000.

All Women Are Interested in Magnolia Blossom.

Women are convinced that there now exists a simple method for the cure of womb troubles, leucorrhea and all female troubles. Magnolia Blossom, a simple home treatment that is becoming more popular every day, enables every woman suffering from any of the troubles peculiar to the sex to cure herself at home without medical aid. It is simple and inexpensive, applied locally it cures speedily and permanently. The remarkable success attained by the Magnolia Blossom proves beyond a doubt that it is no longer necessary to take strong medicines into the stomach for the cure of these troubles. Ladies should avoid examinations and painful operations until they have tried this simple and safer method.

Sold by Druggists. One dollar for one month's treatment. Take no substitute.

A free trial box with full particulars sent by mail. Address, South Bend Remedy Co., South Bend, Indiana.

Sold by Geo. M. Bell & Co.

Farmers! Attention!

Beginning February 10 I will pay the highest market price in CASH FOR WHEAT delivered at Benton Harbor, Mich.

JOHN T. OWENS, the grocer.

The best wind mills, pumps and well supplies at right prices. Bicycles cheap and best for the money. All repairs at low prices during the dull season. Call and investigate. ORIN CYCLE CO., 145 Pipestone street

Through Pullman Tourist Sleeper

For points in Kansas, California, Arizona and New Mexico will leave Indianapolis via the Vandalia Line each Wednesday until further notice. For rates, reservations and full information apply to nearest ticket agent of the Vandalia Line, or to Mr. E. A. Ford, G. P. A., St. Louis, Mo.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.

Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever 10c, 25c. If C.C.C. fail, druggists refund money

The Globe clothing and shoe store is moved to 112 Pipestone street.

If you want a fine finish on your goods and a perfect fitting neck band go to the Enterprise laundry. tf603

Great bargains at The Globe, 112 Pipestone street.

Have glasses fitted by Dr. Antisdale.

Dressmaking.

Mrs. Joseph Ferry has reopened her dressmaking parlors at 116 High street, back of the Mills block, where she would be pleased to see her old customers. Mrs. Ferry has the new Jewel system recently sold here by Mrs. Adams. Bring your old plush jackets and have stylish collaretts made. 712t6

Great bargains at The Globe, 112 Pipestone street.

Wallace Bros. are giving away two bicycles and a $15 pipe.

Lister's Bone Meal.

This famous bone meal which has stood the test of years may be obtained by leaving orders with H. P. Boehm, Benton Harbor, or with the general agent.

t681 C. H. FARNUM, Hagar.

You can get a cheap bicycle at Burkhard's.

One large picture given away with a dozen cabinets at A. D. Lacy's photo car. 691tf

Beauty Is Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets,—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

Tri-Weekly to Chicago.

The steamer City of Duluth will leave Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings for Chicago. Fare each way, including berth, $1.

GRAHAM & MORTON TRANS. CO.

AN INNOVATION IN RAILROADING.

A Parlor-Cafe Car Now Running on Daylight Special of Illinois Central between Chicago and St. Louis.

The Illinois Central has substituted for the parlor car, formerly running on its day train between Chicago and St. Louis, a new composite parlor-cafe car, built for the Company at the Pullman Shops especially for service on its fast, vestibule, solid "Daylight Special" train to St. Louis. The parlor, in the Empire style, is finished in mahogany, with darker panels of the same, the latter being richly inlaid with marquetry composed of various shaded woods. Its furnishing includes easy, luxurious revolving arm-chairs, upholstered with green frieze plush. The ceiling overhead (in which are fixed brilliant Pintsch gas chandeliers of the latest pattern) are decorated in gold, and in color and design are in harmony, as also is the rich Wilton carpet on the floor beneath, with the plush and mahogany finish of the rest of the room. The cafe is in general design and color scheme in harmony with the parlor, and has tables at which parties of four may be seated, and tables at which couples can dine tete-a-tete. A complete kitchen adjoins the cafe, and meals will be served en route from a varied menu at reasonable prices; the cafe feature to be conducted in the same general way for patrons of the entire train as are the cafe cars on the Central running West out of Chicago, and which have proved so popular. The car also contains a gentleman's smoking room, in connection with which is a buffet from which cigars and liquid refreshments can be obtained. The car as a whole is of substantial construction and elegant finish. The features of this car are particularly adapted to Hot Springs, Ark., travel, the Daylight special leaving Chicago every forenoon, making the run to St. Louis in eight hours, and giving good connection in Union Station with trains for Hot Springs.

I. C. R.R. Announcements

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—VIA—

NEW ORLEANS

PULLMAN TOURIST SLEEPING CAR.

EVERY MONDAY

FROM

CHICAGO

through to Los Angeles and San Francisco, via New Orleans, in connection with the Southern Pacific Co., leaving Chicago on its fast "New Orleans Limited" train at 5 p. m. The Limited also connects at New Orleans daily with express train for the Pacific coast, and on Tuesdays and Saturdays (after January 4th, 1898), with the

SUNSET LIMITED ANNEX

of the Southern Pacific, giving special through service to San Francisco.

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Daily through service to Jacksonville from St. Louis, and from Chicago via the Illinois Central and connecting lines, by way of Holly Springs, Birmingham, Albany and Waycross.

Through Sleeping Car to Jacksonville

from St. Louis (8:51 p.m.), and no change of Sleeping Car from Chicago (5 p. m.) except from one car to another on same train, at a seasonable hour in the morning. Through reservations to Jacksonville.

Tickets and full information concerning the above can be had of agents of the "Central" and connecting lines.

A. H. HANSON, Gen'l Pass'r Agent, Chicago.

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W. W. CHESLEY

The Clothing Renovator and Dyer..

110 Pipestone, Under Wallace Bros.

is now prepared to do all kinds of Cleaning and Repairing, both ladies' and gents'. First class work. Now is the time to have your clothing put in order for winter. Overcoats and Suits made to look like new. Try it and save the price of a new suit.

DYEING A SPECIALTY.

ALSO CARPETS CLEANED.

Is only one of the many pretty things we manufacture. We make all kinds of fancy wood ornaments which add so much to the appearance of your home.

W. H. Berkheiser

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The most complete wood working establishment in Southern Michigan

Benton Harbor Bicycle Works

All kinds of repairing done on short notice. General machine repairs a spedialty. Skates sharpened. Bicycles cleaned, re-enameled and generally overhauled. Special prices on this class of work if baought in before February 1, 1898.

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G. W. Closson

thanks the public for their generous patronage during the past year, and wishes to announce that in connection with his

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line, he has put on a

10 Cent Express

for the accommodation of all persons desiring such. Headquarters at Hotel Benton. Residence telephone, No. 111.

BLOOD POISON

A SPECIALTY. Primary, Secondary or Tertiary BLOOD POISON permanently cured in 15 to 35 days. You can be treated at home for same price under same guaranty. If you prefer to come here we will contract to pay railroad fare and hotel bills, and no charge, if we fail to cure. If you have taken mercury, Iodide potash, and still have aches and pains, Mucous Patches in mouth, sore Throat, Pimples, Copper Colored Spots, Ulcers on any part of the body, Hair or Eyebrows falling out, it is this Secondary BLOOD POISON we guarantee to cure. We solicit the most obstinate cases and challenge the world for a case we cannot cure. This disease has always baffled the skill of the most eminent physicians. $500,000 capital behind our unconditional guaranty. Absolute proofs sealed on application. Address COOK [illegible]

Our Prices Are Always Right

WE HAVE A COMPLETE LINE OF

Staple and Fancy Groceries, Crockery, Etc.

At the lowest prices. Call in and get our prices whether you buy or not, we will try our best to please you.

Good Bak. Powder, cup, saucer and plate,	25c lb.
Golden C sugar,	25 lbs. for $1 00
20 lbs. Extra C Sugar	1 00
Raisins,	5c lb.
6 lbs. Crackers	25c
5 lbs Ginger Snaps	25c
4 lb. package Gold Dust	15c
5 lbs. Rice	25c
6 cans Sardines	25c
2 packages Washing Powder	5c
4 lbs. Cottolene	25c
German Sweet Chocolate	5c
Baker's Chocolate	19c
8 bars Santa Claus Soap	25c
9 bars Jaxon Soap	25c
10 bars Calumet Soap	25c
10 lb. Pail Whitefish	45c

Goods delivered promptly to all parts of the city. Call up 'Phone No. 90.

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We are Advertised by Our Loving Friends.

The following is one of the many kindly communications we are receiving:

The other day I went down town
And bought a cord of wood
And it gives us satisfaction
Because it splits so good.
It was the easiest splitting lot
I have purchased in my life,
And to get a chance to split a stick
Must draw cuts with my wife.

My boy as soon as school is out
Comes hurrying on the run
Saying, "Papa may I split some wood?
Please, papa, it's such fun."
If you wish your boys to do the same,
You will only have to go
To get such beech and maple wood,
To the Benton Fuel Co. D. B. E.

We have more of the same (wood, not poetry).

BENTON FUEL CO.

Telephone No. 118. Office Water Street. Yards, Highland Ave.

Yip! Yip! Hurray!

I'm so happy for I have my work done at the

City Steam ..Laundry

And it is the finest work I ever saw in that line.

They have THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS invested in the very best machinery and consequently can do much better work and with LESS WEAR ON THE GOODS than any small institution. When it comes to laundring bed spreads, shirts and table linen they are simply OUT OF SIGHT and so cheap too. New neck bands put on for regular customers free of charge. Patronize the best and that is the

City Steam Laundry

135 East Main Street.

[illegible]'s People and [illegible]re Doing.

[illegible] Social" at Mrs. Romig's [illegible] a great success. The [illegible]ned with a merry company [illegible] entertained with flower [illegible] music. Miss Sophia Zebell [illegible]me choice readings that were [illegible]ed by all. Messrs. Davis and [illegible] of St. Joseph furnished enjoyable [illegible]sic with mandolin and guitar. Refreshments including ice cream and cake were served in the dining room, after which each guest was presented with a souvenir bouquet. Strings were woven around the room and when the fortunate one had wound up the string a flower was found tied to the end of the string. All departed feeling they had spent a very enjoyable evening.

Twenty-four prominent beauties of Benton Harbor and Benton Harbor has them if any city has them, will face each other on the checker board February 7 and 8 in living checkers and Conkey's floor will be the checker board. Of course it will be very distracting for the players "The Squire" and Sam Hull to look at the beauties thus arrayed, party against party, and it will be a surprise if their eyes and minds are mostly on the game. However with twelve ladies supporting the course of each, the champions will no doubt play the finest series of games ever played. Everybody should see the event of the season.

Louis Kephart, THE EVENING NEWS agent at Berrien Springs, was in the city this afternoon.

A party of 20 young people drove out to the home of Mr. Gordon, Fair Plain, last night and spent a pleasant evening. The time was spent in playing progressive carroms after which refreshments were served.

Mrs. Alice Reynolds, of South Bend, is the guest of relatives here.

The Odd Fellows will have work in the second degree at their meeting Tuesday evening.

Captain N. Robbins, of Grand Haven, is in the city today.

Milo Moore returned yesterday from Benzie county where he has been the past three weeks. Mr. Moore is very favorably impressed with the country and will move his family there in the spring.

Mrs. John Gibbons, of Wabash, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. L. Wilcox of the Hotel Phœnix.

The next regular meeting of the Bon Ami club will be held on Tuesday evening, February 1, at the home of Miss Tabor. In case the magazines do not arrive the lesson will be the first two chapters of "Life Among the Germans," otherwise the lesson as outlined.

Miss Ethel Hudson who has been ill for several days past is slightly better today.

Mrs. F. D. Blanchard of Shelbyville, Ind., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Will Chapman. She was accompanied by her son Frank.

Frank Kramer who is seriously ill at the home of his parents, Brunson avenue, is slightly improved today.

Mrs. C. E. Wright of Chicago who has been seriously ill, is sufficiently recovered to be able to return to this city. She is visiting at the home of Mrs. George Bakeman, Pipestone street, and will be glad to see her friends there.

Captain Donald McLean and Engineers Chalk and Narjal of the wrecked steamer Duluth left this afternoon for their homes in Chicago.

You can save money at the Hogue slaughter sale. Next week will be your last chance.

ARE OUT.

The Invitations for the Dancing Party to be Given February 10.

The invitations for the dancing party to be given in Conkey's hall on the evening of February 10, are out. The following well known society ladies of the city are the patronesses: Mrs. W. P. Robbins, Mrs. C. W. Williams, Mrs. G. M. Bell, Mrs. J. T. Owens, Mrs. J. R. Price, Mrs. L. T. Burridge, Mrs. P. W. Hall and Mrs. S. B. Van Horn.

The music for the occasion will be furnished by the Beckwith memorial orchestra, of Dowagiac, one of the finest musical organizations in this part of the state.

Close at 7:30

All of the meat dealers of the city have agreed to close their markets from now until April 1 at 7:30 each evening.

Special Train.

A special train over the M. B. H. & C. will be run from Buchanan and Berrien Springs to this city tomorrow. The crowd is coming to view the wreck of the Duluth

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

MILLINERY SALE.

The Misses Brown Will Sell Out Regardless of Cost.

The firm known as the Misses Brown will dispose of their stock within the next ten days regardless of cost. They are to have charge of the millinery department in Enders & Young's new store and must dispose of their stock.

This stock consists of a full line of trimmed and untrimmed hats, ribbons, feathers and tips, everything strictly up-to-date. Room 6 Jones & Sonner block.

People who bought one bill of shoes at the Hogue slaughter sale are returning and duplicating their first purchase.

ENTERTAINED.

The Lady Maccabees Enjoyed a Social Evening Last Night.

The lady Maccabees and their husbands were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Edgecumbe at their home on Morton Hill last night. Mrs. Schuman, Mrs. Tallmage and Mrs. Knowles kindly assisted Mrs. Edgecumbe to care for her guests and we do not know a better way of stating to what degree of satisfaction they attained than to say it could not have been done better.

A fine program was rendered and all present were more than pleased with it and their reception. Miss Vincent, instructor of music at the college executed two fine selections on the piano in that superb way for which she is becoming very popular here. Miss Ida Edgecumbe's recitation was received with great applause. Mrs. Webb, in charge of the musical department of the college sang two solos one being in response to an encore. Miss Mericle, teacher of eloctuion, at the college, then succeeded in holding her hearers as if by magic by her recitations and the oftener she is heard the better she is liked.

Miss Ida Edgcumbe closed the program with a solo which she is capable of rendering in her very sweet way. Little Nerma Ortland recited and sang for the ladies several times during the evening and furnished them with much amusement.

Refreshments were served in the dining room and the table was very tastefully decorated with smilax and potted plants.

Too much cannot be said of Mrs. Edgcumbe's success in entertaining her friends last night and those looking for pointers would do well to consult Mrs Edgcumbe, for the whole affair was perfect.

A CHICAGO DANCER.

Clever Child Will Assist at Alger Guard Concert.

Miss Eva Pearl Ross, the child dancer of Chicago, will appear at the Alger

EVA PEARL ROSS,
The Child Dancer.

Guard entertainment at Conkey's hall Friday evening, February 4.

The military company has indeed secured a prize as this talented young lady, only 12 years of age, has proved herself worthy of the high esteem in which she is held by her many Chicago friends by her excellent and wonderful ability as a funny dancer of high grade dancing.

ST. JOSEPH.

Mrs. D. McClarey left this morning for Niles where she will spend Sunday.

The cake walk at the Hotel Whitcomb last night which was given under the auspices of St. Catherine Guild was well attended and created much merriment. The prize was won by Millard Rice and Mrs. Will Hull.

Everything going regardless of cost at the Hogue slaughter sale.

THE CHURCHES.

Subjects to Be Discussed From City Pulpits Tomorrow.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. George B. Simons, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p m. Morning subject, "The Natural and the Supernatural." Evening subject, "A Safe Refuge." Sunday school at 12 m. Meeting of juniors 4 p. m. Young People's meeting 5:50.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH—W. P. French, pastor. Morning class at 9:30. Preaching at 10 30 by Rev McRoberts of St. Joseph Sunday school at noon Epworth league at 6. Preaching by the pastor at 7, subject, "The Prodigal's Experience in a Far Country.

PRESBYTERIAN, Morton Hill—Rev. E. A. Hoffman, pastor. Sunday services, preaching at 1 30 a. m. and 7 p. m; Sunday school 12 m.; Endeavor prayer meeting, 6 p. m. General prayer meeting, Thursday evening.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—Pleasant street, Rev. George A. Sahlin, pastor Service 10:30 a. m. and 7 p m. Morning subject, "The Daily Judgment;" evening services under the auspices of the Y M C. A. Special music. Sunday school 12 m.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Rev. J. N. Wilson, pastor. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p m. Morning subject, "The Great Discovery;" Evening subject, "The Water of Life." S. S. at 12; Junior Y. P. S. C. E., 1st div. at 4:30; 2nd division at 5:20 p. m. Senior Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:00 p. m.

AFRICAN M. E. CHURCH.—Rev. James E. Lyons, Pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Class and praise meeting at 6:30 p. m. Evening service at 7:00 p. m., All are welcome.

Y. M. C. A.—Convention Sunday—Convention prayer service at 9 a m Convention rally at 3 p m led by H U Rapp. The training class will be discontinued until the return of Secretary Woodford.

ST. JOHNS CATHOLIC CHURCH.—Rev. D. Mulcahy, pastor. Services at 8:00 and 10:30 a. m, except the second Sunday in each month when only the 8:00 services is held, and the pastor is at Bainbridge. Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Vespers at 7:30 in the evening.

HOLY TRINITY.—Rev. M S. Woodruff, rector. Regular services tomorrow, at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p m. Sunday school at 12.

RESCUE MISSION—Preaching at 2:30 and 7 p. m. Hall over Burridge's shoe store, west Main street. There will also be services every evening the coming week.

Notice.

For parties, entertainments, class and social gatherings, leave orders at 158 Pipestone street, for Hollis' mandolin and guitar orchestra. Prices reasonable. 6t698

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

WANTED TO RENT—SMALL FARM must be in good condition and rent reasonable. Not far from town. Give particulars Address O. McCormick, Benton Harbor 6t700

GREAT FRUIT SALE

Commencing Friday Evening and all day Saturday until midnight...

ALL KINDS OF FRUIT.

APPLES- I have the largest assortment of Apples ever exhibited in Benton Harbor. Apples from nearly every state. Some of the varieties: Northern Spy, Snow, Jennetts, Johnthan, Wine Sap, Yellow Pearmain, Rambo, Willow Twig, Baldwin, Ben Davis, Red Streak.

ORANGES- I have several hundred dozen of fine SWEET ORANGES which will go tomorrow at *10 CTS.* per dozen

BANANAS- Fine Bananas will go cheap at this sale...

All of the Fruit is Fresh and First Class.

Come Running, Take Your Choice and Pay Your Money.

GEO. BUTZBACH

NEWLAND BLOCK...

SECOND DOOR NORTH OF NEWS OFFICE

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Second Annual Clearance Sale

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Monday, January 3, 1898

..AND CONTINUING FOR TWO WEEKS..

We will give 25 per cent discount on all cash sales

Nothing reserved. Come early before assortment is broken.

Fidei's Pompadore and Telegram Skirt Bindings and "La Fornia" at old prices, as we are under contract.

...JAMES POUND

A Great Lecture...

Col. L. F. Copeland

One of America's Greatest Orators...

Will speak in the

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...At the...

FIRST M. E. CHURCH

Monday Evening, Jan. 31

Admission 25 Cts.

Our ANNUAL JANUARY SALE

OF LADIES' AND MISSES'

Jackets, Capes and Reefers

We have made great reductions to close out the line.

Exery Ladies' Cape or Jacket, worth up to $5, to close at **$2 50**

All the Capes and Jackets, worth up to $12.50, your choice for **$6 00**

All our finest Jackets and Capes, sold as high as $27.50. for **$10 00**

Great reductions in our Dress Goods Department, Underwear Department, Clothing Department, at prices that will make room for our spring stock.

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